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Transmitted herewith for filing is a 193-page patent specification including 62 claims and an abstract, and an 8-page sequence listing. Also included are Figures 1-16 on 17 sheets. The specification and drawings constitute the application of Ken Fujise and Edward T.H. Yeh for the captioned invention.

Also transmitted herewith is a diskette containing the computer-readable form of those sequences in the specification, a Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), and a separate paper copy of the sequence listing.

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